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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Robert S. Eisenbart et al.

Application No.: 09/493,984

Filed: January 28, 2000

For: OBJECT SECURITY  
IMPLEMENTATION

Examiner: Unassigned

Art Unit: 2766

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37  
CFR §1.97 and §1.98

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants wish to make the Examiner aware of the following copending applications:

1. Application No. 09/580,303, filed 05/26/2000, Attorney Docket No. 18926-003120US;
2. Application No. 09/505,336, filed 02/16/2000, Attorney Docket No. 18926-003020US; and
3. Application No. 09/649,255, filed 08/28/2000, Attorney Docket No. 18926-002610US.

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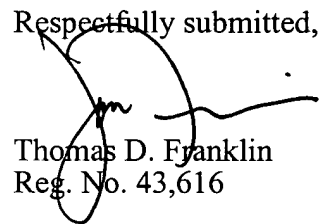


It is respectfully requested that the above copending applications be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application. To comply with 37 CFR §1.98(a)(2)(iii), enclosed are the specifications, claims and drawings for each of the above cases.

As provided for by 37 CFR 1.97(g) and (h), no inference should be made that the information and references cited are prior art merely because they are in this statement and no representation is being made that a search has been conducted or that this statement encompasses all the possible relevant information.

Applicant believes that no fee is required for submission of this statement, since it is being submitted prior to the first Office Action. However, if a fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fee from the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please deduct any additional fees from, or credit any overpayment to, the above-noted Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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